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SUBJECT: 2002 OFFICIAL VIETNAM DRUG STATISTICS

REFS: A. 02 STATE 190339 B. 02 Hanoi 2980

1. (U) BELOW ARE OFFICIAL 2002 VIETNAM DRUG STATISTICS PROVIDED BY THE STANDING OFFICE FOR DRUG CONTROL OF VIETNAM (SODC). THIS TABLE UPDATES REF B SUBMISSION.

2. (U) BEGIN TEXT  
INCSR SUMMARY TABLES.

SUMMARY TABLES FOR THREE YEARS

-- 1. COCA. VIETNAM PRODUCED NO COCA IN 2001 OR PREVIOUS YEARS.

-- 2. POTENTIAL COCA LEAF. NOT APPLICABLE TO VIETNAM.

-- 3. OPIUM.

STATISTICAL TABLE

DRUG CULTIVATION (HECTARES)	2002	2001	2000
HARVESTABLE CULTIVATION	315	351	428
ERADICATION	315	351	428
POPPY HARVESTED (SEEDS)			

-- 4. POTENTIAL OPIUM GUM. NOT AVAILABLE.

-- 5. CANNABIS. SODC REPORTS NO CANNABIS CULTIVATION IN VIETNAM. CANNABIS ENTERS VIETNAM FROM CAMBODIA.

-- 6. POTENTIAL CANNABIS YIELD. NOT APPLICABLE.

-- 7. DRUG SEIZURES IN KILOGRAMS:

STATISTICAL TABLE

SEIZURES	2002	2001	2000
A. COCA LEAF	N/A	N/A	N/A
B. COCAINE PASTE	N/A	N/A	N/A
C. COCAINE BASE	N/A	N/A	N/A
D. COCAINE HCL	N/A	N/A	N/A
E/F. OPIUM	612.6	589.4	455
G. HEROIN	57.4	40.33	50.46
H. CANNABIS	243.0	1,272.5	2,071
I. OTHERS, BY UNITS			
J. TUBES OF ADDICTIVE DRUGS	110,232	125,328	112,414
K. DOSES OF HEROIN	62,784	49,369	66,192
L. ATS TABLETS		47,852	43,160
6,783			
M. KG. ADDICTIVE PHARM.		N/A	179
N. TABLETS ADDICTIVE PHARM.	N/A	593,662	
O. BOTTLES ADDICTIVE PHARM.	N/A	1,028	

NOTES:

1. ATS STANDS FOR AMPHETAMINE TYPE STIMULANTS. ONE DOSE OF HEROIN IS EQUIVALENT TO ANYWHERE BETWEEN 0.10 AND 0.25 MILLIGRAMS.

2. ACCORDING TO SODC, STATISTICS FOR M,N,AND O ABOVE WERE NOT COMPILED FOR 2002. END NOTES.

-- 8. ILLICIT LABS. DURING 2002, WE KNOW OF NO LABS HAVING BEEN DESTROYED.

-- 9. DOMESTIC CONSUMPTION OF ILLICIT DRUGS. NO AVAILABLE STATISTICS.

-- 10. ARRESTS.

STATISTICAL TABLE

NUMBER OF ARRESTS BY NUMBER OF CASES/NUMBER OF PERSONS ARRESTED.

2002	2001	2000
14,167/23,199	12,811/21,103	8,925/16,276

-- 11. USERS.

STATISTICAL TABLE

NUMBER OF REGISTERED DRUG ADDICTS:

2002	2001	2000
142,001	113,669	100,293

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